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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **IMAI, Genji et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1762

Serial No.: 09/988,252

Examiner: **BRIAN K. TALBOT**

Filed: November 19, 2001

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For: **METHOD OF FORMING CONDUCTIVE PATTERN**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 27, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **April 25, 2003**, extended to **October 27, 2003** by a **three** month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows: